

Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Catholic Church



Traditional Latin Rite
Parish of the
Archdiocese of Denver



Served by the
Priestly Fraternity of St. Peter
Fraternitas Sacerdotalis Sancti Petri

Sunday, May 23, 2021
Pentecost Sunday

Mass Times

Sunday

Please see page 2
for this week's
Mass times
and intentions.

Monday through Saturday

6:30 a.m. and 8:30 a.m.

Friday

6:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 7:00 p.m.

Confession Times

30 minutes before each Mass

Also on Saturdays:

8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Eucharistic Adoration

Thursday: 7:00 - 8:00 p.m.

First Friday: All day

Baptism and Marriage Preparation

Please contact one of the priests directly.

Contact Information

Priests

Pastor

Rev. James W. Jackson, FSSP

Parochial Vicars

Rev. Daniel Nolan, FSSP Rev. Daniel Kluge
asst.pastor1@olmcfssp.org asst.pastor2@olmcfssp.org

Church Location:

5612 S. Hickory St., Littleton, CO 80120

Mailing Address:

5620 S. Hickory Cir., Littleton, CO 80120

Parish Office:

303-703-8538

Hours: Monday - Friday
8:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Sacramental Emergencies:

303-241-2946

Website: www.olmcfssp.org
Email: secretary@olmcfssp.org

Homebound:

Any parishioner confined to home who would like to receive the sacraments or the bulletin, please contact the parish office.

N.B. Please make checks for the collection basket payable to OLMC Catholic Church. For Mass intention requests, please contact the parish office.

Please pray for the sick:

Peter Nalty, Shane Cook, Tommy McDonough, Fr. Nick Larkin, Trudy Benefiel, Jifin Varghese, Brian O'Connell, Jackie Briggs

Please pray for the repose of the souls of:

Sr. Joseph Mary, OCD, Byron Martin, Judith Higson, Bernadette Filipczak, Gloria Patrona, Eric Talley, Hugh Bergman

Parish Staff

Office Manager: office.manager@olmcfssp.org

Secretary: secretary@olmcfssp.org

Music Director: music.director@olmcfssp.org

Maintenance: facilities.manager@olmcfssp.org

Mass Times and Intentions

Time of Mass in **bold** signifies High Mass.

Sunday, May 23

Pentecost Sunday

6:30 am (Carmel) Intention of Fr. Kluge

6:30 am All OLMC Employees by Fr. Jackson

8:00 am All OLMC Volunteers by Fr. Jackson

9:30 am Mom by Laurie Lewis

11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm Marie Monroe by Erin Monroe

Monday, May 24

Pentecost Monday

6:30 am (Carmel) In Thanksgiving for Fr. Jackson's Priesthood
by John Filipczak

8:30 am Maximilian Monroe by Erin Monroe

Tuesday, May 25

Pentecost Tuesday

6:30 am (Carmel) Sisters' Intentions

8:30 am Conversion of Peggy & Karl Machamer
by Erin Monroe

Wednesday, May 26

Ember Wednesday in the Octave of Pentecost

6:30 am (Carmel) Sisters' Intentions

8:30 am Jeff & Donna Monroe by Erin Monroe

Thursday, May 27

Pentecost Thursday

6:30 am (Carmel) Sisters' Intention

8:30 am (High Mass) 1st Holy Communion Class of St.
Mary's, PA by Erin Monroe

Friday, May 28

Ember Friday in the Octave of Pentecost

6:30 am (Carmel) Sisters' Intention

8:30 am Expecting Mothers of St. Mary's, PA by Erin Monroe

7:00 pm John Robertson by Darrell Robertson

Saturday, May 29

Ember Saturday in the Octave of Pentecost

6:30 am (Carmel) Visiting Priest

8:30 am Poor Souls by Erin Monroe

10:30 am All first Communicants and Confirmandi
by Fr. Jackson

Sunday, May 30

Trinity Sunday

6:30 am (Carmel) Intention of Fr. Kluge

6:30 am Special Intention of Fr. Nolan

8:00 am Special Intention of Fr. Nolan

9:30 am Steve Tuttle by Jeri Schultz

11:00 am (High Mass) Pro Populo

1:00 pm Poor Souls by Erin Monroe

Private Mass Intentions

Private Masses by Fr. Jackson:

5.25 John Robertson by Darrell Robertson

5.26 Sr. Carmel, O.C.D. by Sara Cunningham

5.27 Maria del Refugio and Perez Gonzales by Luis Moreno

**The Carmelite Monastery is Located at 6138 S. Gallup St. in
Littleton, 80120.**

From the Pastor:

- The Holy Hour this Thursday will be offered for all the sick and suffering of our parish.
- The spiritual bouquet which you gave to me on the anniversary of my ordination was extraordinarily generous. Thank you from the bottom of my heart. I have to say that the past 36 years of priesthood are the best and happiest of my life. And what a blessing it was to be assigned to this parish almost 15 years ago. My, but time just slips away...
- Please pray for the following: We need more parking. The mortuary is aware of our growth and does not wish to renew a legal agreement on the mutual use of the lot. Neither of us has a problem, but the risk management office of the Archdiocese does (I understand their concern). The parking lot at the property adjacent to the mortuary would be most beneficial to us. We are in negotiation with the owners to rent the parking space.
- But they may not want this. So for long term growth of the parish, I think we should try to purchase the property. More on this later. The property just across Powers Ave. is owned by HUD, but perhaps that is a possibility, and we are working on this, too. The parking is a problem and will continue to be. So right now, please pray that we might get one of those properties. It would be such a blessing. Dealing with HUD might not be.
- Miss Sara Cunningham tried her vocation with the Carmelites in Traverse City, MI, but discerned that she did not have a vocation, and will be returning to our parish to assist in bookkeeping and secretarial work for the school. She'll start June 1st.
- Work on the school will really pick up this summer (there are things I've been doing in the meantime), and we need to be in a position to let parents know what we are going to do no later than January of 2022. Please pray for this, too.
- Of late there have been a small slew of cell phones going off at Mass. A good habit to acquire would be to put them on airplane mode before you walk into the church. Or toss them in the trunk before you go to Mass. Or at the neighbors' loud dog.
- And if I may be so bold, I'm planning to do some recollections on the interior life – small retreats, if you will. This won't be too hard to do, but will take some planning. If you could spare a prayer for these, I'd be grateful.
- The loss of understanding and practice of the interior life is perhaps our greatest trial in modern times. Everything in our culture seems against it "You understand absolutely nothing about modern civilization unless you first admit that it is a universal conspiracy against all interior life." Georges Bernanos
- I'll be taking some days off next week for some intense work on my book on matrimony, but also for some recollection and relaxation. I'll leave after the Monday morning Mass and return Friday afternoon.

Upcoming Events and Announcements:

Confirmation and First Holy Communion

The conferral of the sacraments of Confirmation and 1st Holy Communion will take place at 10:30am on **Saturday, May 29th**, at OLMC.

Altar Flowers

The altar flowers for this week are for +Ned & Barbara Murray from a parishioner.

Golf Deadline

The deadline to register to play golf at our first annual tournament at Arrowhead Golf Course is **this Sunday, May 23rd**. You can register online using a credit card at olmcfssp.org/golf, or go to the golf table in the parish hall to pay by cash or check.

Parish Hall Fundraiser

At the Silent Auction Soirée, which is in conjunction with our 1st Annual Golf Tournament, you can EAT, DRINK, and BID on items on **Saturday, May 29th**, from 6:00pm-9:00pm in our parish hall. We have some great items to bid on, so you will not want to miss out! Please bring a beverage of your choice, but no hard liquor, please. Light appetizers will be provided. Non separating babies are welcome. All proceeds from the evening will go towards the newly renovated hall.

Gift Bags

There will be a gift bag for each child receiving the Sacraments of Confirmation and First Holy Communion on a table in the parish hall on **Sunday, May 23rd**. Parishioners may congratulate the children by placing religious cards, medals, or other religious items in these bags.

Theology Class

This Monday night from 7-8:30pm, Fr. Kluge will have his weekly theology class in the parish hall. This week's topics will be Meekness, Anger, Pride, and Humility. All are welcome to attend.

Prayer Vigil at PPH

Please join us for our parish prayer vigil at Planned Parenthood on the **4th Saturday of each month** for about 45 minutes, starting at **10:15am**, at the facility located at 7155 E. 38th Ave. in Denver. Our next prayer vigil will be on **May 22nd**. We will meet directly across the street from the main entrance, and prayer booklets will be provided.

OLMC Men's Group

There will be a Men's group meeting taking place on **Tuesday, June 15th**, at 6:30pm in the parish hall.

Parish Organizations:

Altar & Rosary Society

Helen Kish:
designz@kishandcompany.com
3rd Saturday of the month
9:45 AM

Altar Boy Training

Fr. Nolan
asst.pastor1@olmcfssp.org

Carmelite Study Group

1st Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.
Lucy Okoh 303-806-9923

OLMC Federation of North American Explorers

David "Black Bear" Wilson
info@olmcexplorers.org
720-989-6672

OLMC High School Youth Group

Zach Pisarski, Mary Salazar
sjbyolmc@gmail.com

Holy Name Society Men's Group

2nd Saturdays at 9:30 a.m.
Fr. Kluge
asst.pastor2@olmcfssp.org

Juventutem, Young Adults Group

Alex Franceski
denverjuventutem@gmail.com

Knights of Columbus Council # 13205

Trent Davis, Grand Knight
Trent.Davis@KofC.org

Legion of Mary

Henry Alire: 303-426-0446

OLMC Music Department and Choir

Rick Wheeler
music.director@olmcfssp.org.

OLMC Prayer Email Line

To request prayers, contact Jane Brennan
jmbrennan555@gmail.com

Safety Team

Kim Poletto: safety@olmcfssp.org

St. Anne's Quilters

Carolyn Mulligan: 303-254-9889
2nd Saturdays at 9:30am

Shepherds of Christ

Every Tuesday 5 - 6 p.m. in the
church to pray for priests

OLMC Ushers

Peter Doran: 303-503-8608
pddoran@hotmail.com

Welcoming Committee

welcome@olmcfssp.org

St. Zita's Homeschooling Group

olmchomeschoolers+owner@groups.io
Erika: 602-535-9659 or
Mary: 720-840-1451

Parish Life:

OLMC Spring Teen Dance!

June 12th, from 6:00pm-9:30pm. For ages 14-18.
Tickets \$10 per person. Main dish and drinks will be provided,
Teens will be assigned either appetizers/sides or dessert. If
interested, please RSVP to Angie Flees 720-936-5315 or
at angiefleece@protonmail.com.

Lost & Found

Our Lost and Found bins are now located in the small
room in the entrance of the parish Hall, where items are to be
blessed. Look for a black tote with a yellow lid, and a smaller,
clear plastic bin for the more expensive items. They are both
labeled Lost & Found. Please place any found items in these
containers.

Homeschoolers

The OLMC Homeschool group meets every Friday for
social time, activities, and liturgical celebrations! There are events
planned for every first Friday of the month, and on all other
Fridays we meet from 9:30-12pm in the parish hall for social
time and crafts.

Please subscribe to our email group to be kept up to date on all
our events by sending an email to:
OLMChomeschoolers+subscribe@groups.io

To Have Items Blessed

The small room to the right of the parish hall entrance
(when you enter from the parking lot) contains the shelves for
having items blessed. One shelf is for blessed items to be picked
up and one shelf is for unblessed items.

The room will be accessible after all Masses and during
office hours.

OLMC Exchange

If you ever have items to give away, or if you want to be
on the email list to know what fellow parishioners are getting rid
of, just call or email the parish office, and we will add you to the
OLMC Exchange email list. People are always moving in,
moving out, getting married, upgrading, or downsizing. This is
not for items being sold, unless the money will be going to the
parish.

Vespers

A reminder that Vespers (and Compline, the prayer that
completes the day and embraces the night) will be every **Sunday
at 5:00 PM** for about 45 minutes, and includes solemn
ceremonies that are very redolent of the High Mass. The text (as
booklets) is easily found on the internet at DivinumOfficium.com
and there are some books of music available too.